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## PVE Pacified By Ageement-Lane

An understanding between Palos Verdes Estates and the developers of the territory proposed for annexation to Torrance caused the Palos Verdes City Council to cancel its counter-annexation move, PVE Councilman W. R. Lane indicated last week.

The Palos Verdes Estates Council abandoned annexation proceeding provided a proposed arterial highway would bypass that city. Lane said. The city would promote the highway, which would connect Hawthorne Ave. with Palos Verdes Dr. West.

**Lot Size OK'd**  
He said that it was agreed that the first two rows of houses along the boundaries of Palos Verdes Estates would be on lots at least 9000 square feet in area, and would sell for not less than \$17,500.

Barricades would be erected on all streets between the city and the new territory, he said, with five exceptions — Grand via Altimire, Paseo la Cresta, Paseo Lunado, Via Carmel, and Montemalaga Dr.  
It was further agreed, Lane said, that if Torrance annexes

the territory, it will be taken in for school purposes also, and not remain with the Palos Verdes School district.

**School Excluded**  
The Chadwick School properties, long a source of controversy, would be excluded from annexation to Torrance, if possible, Lane said.

The discussions, he said, involved city officials of Palos Verdes Estates, the Rancho Palos Verdes Corp., the Capital Co., and Palos Verdes Properties.

Palos Verdes Estates had sought to annex a buffer strip between Torrance and territory proposed for addition to Torrance. The annexation and counter-annexation moves had embroiled the

## More Show Winners Told

Winners in the patio arrangement division of the recent Flower, Art, and Hobby Show were omitted from the released list. They were Mrs. John Almond, first; Mrs. Sid Gans, second and T. Wada, third. In the specimen bloom division, Ella Stone won a first and second; Elizabeth Bauman, special award on her "Easter Morn" bloom; and Susan Boettcher won third prize on her collection of baby San Franciscos.

## Hollypark Attendance Mark May Fall Monday

Hollywood Park's one-day attendance record of 72,186 set on Monday, May 31, 1948, may be broken on Memorial Day this year. Last Memorial Day the track had a crowd of 64,862, biggest racing throng of 1954 next to the Kentucky Derby.

## CD LEADER ADDRESSES EXPLORERS

Explorer Post 219 was addressed Monday night by George Powell, assistant director of Civil Defense, who gave a talk on the Scout program in connection with the Civilian Defense Department. The talk was given at the regular meeting of the group.

Powell explained to the boys their role in assisting the Torrance area for emergencies, and how they fit into various jobs.

Explorer Fred Cameron, deputy crew leader, was assigned by the post advisor to work with Powell in the capacity of co-ordinator on civilian defense problems.

## Thruber in San Diego

Serving at the Fleet Sonar School in San Diego is Glenn A. Thruber, seaman apprentice, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Thruber, 1428 W. 921 St. He entered the Navy in October, 1954.

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